UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

United States of America

v.

Case No. 08-cr-114-01-SM

Wilfredo Morales

ORDER

Defendant Morales' motion to continue the final pretrial conference and trial is granted (document 11). Trial has been rescheduled for the January 2009 trial period. Defendant Morales shall file a waiver of speedy trial rights not later than December 4, 2008. On the filing of such waiver, his continuance shall be effective.

The Court finds that the ends of justice served by granting a continuance outweigh the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(B)(iv), in that failure to grant a continuance would unreasonably deny defendant the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation taking into account the exercise of due diligence under the circumstances.

Final Pretrial Conference: January 12, 2009 at 11:30 p.m.

Jury Selection: January 21, 2009 at 9:30 a.m.

SO ORDERED.

Steven J. McAuliffe

Chief Judge

November 20, 2008

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US Probation
US Marshal